

**ADVERTISEMENT TO BID**  
**JOLIET TOWNSHIP GOVERNMENT**  
Oakwood Cemetery Grass Cutting Contract  
Project No. GT2026-01

The Joliet Township Government does hereby invite sealed bids for the Oakwood Cemetery Grass Cutting Contract, Project No. GT2026-01, in accordance with the Illinois Township Code (60 ILCS 1/85-30).

Bids will be received at the Office of the Town Clerk, Joliet Township Government Office, 175 West Jefferson Street, Joliet, Illinois 60432, **before 1:30 p.m. on Thursday, March 12, 2026**. Thereafter all proposals received will be publicly opened at the Town Hall Meeting Room, 175 West Jefferson Street, Joliet, Illinois 60432, and the bid price read aloud.

**Sealed Bid Requirement:** All bids must be submitted in sealed envelopes or packages clearly marked "SEALED BID – OAKWOOD CEMETERY GRASS CUTTING GT2026-01 – [COMPANY NAME]" and delivered to the Office of the Town Clerk at the address above.

**Instructions to Bidders:** Specifications and bid forms may be obtained from the Office of the Town Clerk, 175 West Jefferson Street, Joliet, Illinois 60432, Monday through Friday from 8:30 AM to 12:00 PM and from 1:00 PM to 4:00 PM, excluding legal holidays. Questions regarding the specifications and bid forms can be directed to the Town Clerk at (815) 726-4781 extension 309 or [clerk@joliettownship.net](mailto:clerk@joliettownship.net). Electronic forms can be accessed at [www.joliettownship.net](http://www.joliettownship.net) (click on "Bids"). All proposals must be accompanied by a bid bond, bank cashier's check, bank draft, or certified check for two hundred fifty dollars (\$250.00).

**Questions:** All questions must be submitted in writing to the Town Clerk by email at [clerk@joliettownship.net](mailto:clerk@joliettownship.net) or by phone at (815) 726-4781 extension 309. The cut-off for questions shall be **4:00 PM CST on Thursday, March 5, 2026**. Replies and/or addenda will be posted on the Township website and emailed to all known potential bidders **by 4:00 PM CST on Friday, March 6, 2026**.

The contract will be awarded to the lowest responsive responsible bidder. All bidders must demonstrate responsibility based on financial capability, experience, past performance, insurance capacity, and ability to complete the work. The successful bidder will be required to provide a Certificate of Insurance as set forth in the Invitation to Bid and the general terms and conditions. The Joliet Township Government reserves the right to reject any and all bids, part of any and all bids, or to waive technical errors or omissions in bids.

The Contract shall be subject to the provisions of the Prevailing Wage Act (820 ILCS 130/1 et seq.) to the extent required by law. No bidder may withdraw their bid within thirty (30) days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

Dated: February 20th, 2026

**Kendra Landfair**  
Town Clerk